



Bream Creek Vineyard produces premium wines from Tasmania's naturally cool climate and has been rewarded with 20 trophies and over 470 show medals since 1990. Our 7.5ha vineyard at Marion Bay in the south-east of Tasmania was originally planted in 1974, making it one of the oldest commercial vineyards on the island. Fred Peacock purchased the vineyard in 1990 and expanded the Pinot Noir and Chardonnay plantings, as well as introducing Sauvignon Blanc. Fred also planted what was arguably the first commercial planting of the rare German grape Schönburger in the southern hemisphere.

2013 Bream Creek Cabernet Merlot

Tasting Note



Vintage 2013 was a dream vintage in many ways – great flowering, relatively dry weather with low disease pressure and a warmer than average summer, which provided the warmth and length in the season to fully mature the grapes.

A classically styled cool climate Cabernet Merlot with many years in front of it. A dark intense colour in the glass, the nose is expressive with blackberries, black cherries, graphite, tobacco leaf and lifted floral notes. The medium bodied palate is powerful and muscular, more blackberry and dark plum flavours intertwined with cocoa, black olive, smoky oak and mineral nuances. The excellent tannic structure will ensure this wine develops in the cellar for the next several years – or you could simply drink it right now, paired with a rich meat dish such as Tasmanian Cape Grim beef fillets.

4.5 stars and top of category, Winestate Magazine (Nov/Dec 2016)

4.5 stars and top of category "The Great Cabernet Challenge", Winestate Magazine (July/August 2017)

94 points James Halliday Wine Companion 2018

91 points Wine Showcase Magazine (August 2017)

Alc/Vol 13.2%

